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7. [REDACTED] LEGISLATION Michael Wenk, Department of Justice, called to determine the reaction of Guy McConnell and Pete Bonner, both on the Senate Appropriations Committee staff, on deferring to the language in Title IV of the intelligence authorization bill in connection with the excludable aliens problem. He then explained the precise nature of the problem and read the report language which had just been approved which would cause Immigration and Naturalization Service to deny entry and enforce expulsion of hostile intelligence personnel. Because of the particular situation anything we would do would have to await conference which would commence sometime after 7 August. Wenk requested that I accompany him on the Hill to assure that Committee staff appreciate the problems this might create. I told him we would want to be sure that we had properly sorted out the problem and we would be back in touch.

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8. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Tom Latimer, Staff Director, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, in response to his request for a position on storage of NID's overnight in the Committee rooms. I told him that while I had not discussed this matter with top management, there were valid reasons for insisting on tight security for this document. I said such tight security was necessary to reassure collectors that sensitive items could be included and this reassurance was necessary if the document is to continue as the high quality product that it is. I told him that we had turned down a similar request from the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff. Latimer believes our case would appear reasonable to the vast majority of the Members of the Committee.

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9. [REDACTED] LIAISON/PA I called Ms. Ryan Conroy, in the office of Senator Alan Cranston (D., Calif.), concerning an attachment to the Senator's note to CIA on behalf of a constituent's Privacy Act request which did not appear related to the request. Ms. Conroy asked that I return that document to her attention and we need not formally reply to the Senator's letter.

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10. [REDACTED] LIAISON Major Patrick Sweeney, in the office of Lt. Col. Grant Miller, Department of Defense, called and requested a copy of the letter on [REDACTED] from the Director to Senator John H. Chafee (R., R.I.). The request was referred to [REDACTED] to handle.

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21. [redacted] LIAISON Called Jim Bush, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff, at the request of [redacted] of our office, to answer Mr. Bush's questions on Soviet use of biological warfare. Mr. Bush's request was based on information requested by Representative Kenneth Robinson (R., Va.). Based on information provided by [redacted] I told Mr. Bush that there is no evidence that the Soviets are engaged in an offensive biological warfare program -- rather that the Soviets are engaged in a program designed to protect themselves against an aggressor who made use of biological warfare. Mr. Bush asked for both classified and unclassified publications on the subject for Mr. Robinson's use. I have passed this requirement on to [redacted].

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22. [redacted] LIAISON Louis Zanardi, International Division, GAO, called. In response to his questions, I told him that the paper on terrorism in Italy had been sent to him the previous week and the paper on the JCR had been signed and would be in his hands by this afternoon. He also asked what the procedure would be for GAO officers to review the intelligence reports that had been sent [redacted] for their perusal. After checking with [redacted] Terrorism, I told Mr. Zanardi that the ground rules were that the GAO officers were to come out here to read our materials. He said that he would be in touch with me when they were ready to read them. I have since obtained the documents and we are holding them pending the GAO expression of interest in reading them in our offices.

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